

RESOLUTION NO. R-19-17

A RESOLUTION APPROVING A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN  
THE VILLAGE OF ADDISON AND RING

**WHEREAS**, Section 6(a) of Article VII of the 1970 Constitution of the State of Illinois provides that any municipality which has a population of more than 25,000 is a home rule unit, and the Village of Addison, DuPage County, Illinois, with a population in excess of 25,000 is, therefore, a home rule unit, and, pursuant to the provisions of said Section 6(a) of Article VII, may exercise any power and perform any function pertaining to its government and affairs; and

**WHEREAS**, the Mayor and Board of Trustees have determined that it would be in the best interests of the Village to approve the Memorandum of Understanding between the Village of Addison and Ring.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE VILLAGE OF ADDISON DU PAGE COUNTY, ILLINOIS, IN THE EXERCISE OF ITS HOME RULE POWERS, AS FOLLOWS:**

**SECTION ONE:** The Memorandum of Understanding between the Village of Addison and Ring, a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit I, shall be, and it is hereby, approved, and the Mayor and Village Clerk of the Village of Addison are hereby authorized and directed to execute said agreement.

**SECTION TWO:** This Resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval and publication in the manner provided by law.

PASSED THIS 4th day of March, 2019.

Ayes: *Trustees Hundley, Kluczynski, Lynch, Nasti & Theodore*  
Nays: *None*  
Absent: *Trustee McDermott*

APPROVED THIS 4th day of March, 2019.

  
Mayor

ATTEST:

  
Village Clerk



**Neighbors by Ring**  
**Memorandum of Understanding**

This agreement is entered into this March day of 18th, 2019 by and between Ring LLC ("Ring") and Addison Police Department ("Agency"), (collectively the "parties") and will provide Agency access to the Neighbors Portal to communicate with users of the Neighbors app ("Ring Neighbors") and encourage community engagement as we work together to make Addison ("City") neighborhoods safer.

Neighbors by Ring app ("Neighbors App") is a digital neighborhood watch that both law enforcement and the public may access free of charge by downloading the Neighbors App (iOS and Android).

The Neighbors App allows users to share and comment on real time crime and safety events in their neighborhood.

As part of the program, Agency may:

Utilize the critical crime and safety events that are posted in the Neighbors App by Ring Neighbors to assist in law enforcement operations and investigations; and

Post information relating to critical incidents and other incidents in the app to keep Ring Neighbors informed regarding issues in their neighborhoods.

With an understanding that a robust, active and engaged user community is essential to the immediate, sustained and ongoing success of the program, the parties agree to the following responsibilities:

**Ring**

Make the Neighbors App available to City residents free of charge.

Make the Neighbors Portal available to Agency free of charge, including ongoing support and training for Agency employees.

**Agency**

Maintain appropriate access controls for Agency personnel to use the Neighbors Portal.

**Press Release**

The parties shall agree to a joint press release to be mutually approved by the parties. Neither party may use the other party's name, logo, or likeness in any advertising or press release without prior written approval of the other party. Notwithstanding the foregoing, Ring shall be permitted to provide in-app alerts to Ring Neighbors announcing Agency's participation in the Neighbors App.

**Term**

Agency's participation in the program shall commence upon Agency's acceptance of these program terms. Either party may terminate Agency's participation in the program at any time by providing 30 days' written notice to the other party; provided that in the case of material breach of this Agreement by the Agency, Ring shall only be required to provide three days' written notice to Agency.

**Privacy and Terms of Use**

Ring will not provide any customer personal information, including video footage, to Agency without the prior consent of the owner or properly issued legal process that complies with federal and state law, as applicable. Agency agrees to use the Neighbors Portal only as expressly authorized by Ring and only in connection with bona fide Agency work. Ring's terms of service and privacy notice, as posted on Ring.com, shall apply to all uses of the Neighbors App and, as applicable, the Neighbors Portal.

**Compensation**

At no point shall either party receive compensation from each other as a result of this program.

**Confidentiality**


Unless otherwise required by law, the Parties shall not disclose the terms of this program or any information that is designated as confidential or that, given the nature of the information or the circumstances surrounding its disclosure, reasonably should be considered as confidential.

RING LLC

3/18/2019

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

By: \_\_\_\_\_

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August Cziment

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Director of Operations

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Agency

Addison, IL PD

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

3/18/19

By: \_\_\_\_\_

T. Hayden

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Director of Police